

## 英 语

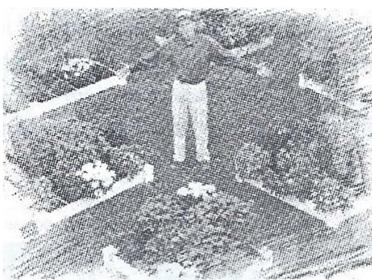
### 一、单项填空(本题有 10 小题,每小题 1 分,共 10 分)

请从 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出可以填入空白处的最佳答案。

- This photo makes me think of \_\_\_\_\_ trip to the Great Wall last year.  
— Yeah, we had a great time there.  
A. a                      B. an                      C. the                      D. /
- Robert is so \_\_\_\_\_ that he even has no time to stay with his children at weekends.  
A. busy                      B. smart                      C. serious                      D. pleased
- I have the \_\_\_\_\_ of reading before sleeping. It has been part of my life.  
A. courage                      B. chance                      C. spirit                      D. habit
- Did anyone call me when I was out?  
— Yes. A man who called \_\_\_\_\_ Tom.  
A. myself                      B. himself                      C. herself                      D. yourself
- Seeing a bird resting by the window, the boy moved \_\_\_\_\_ to have a look at it.  
A. politely                      B. quietly                      C. easily                      D. safely
- \_\_\_\_\_ the scientists have done lots of research on Mars, there is still much waiting to be discovered.  
A. If                      B. Since                      C. Unless                      D. Though
- We've ordered too much food. I \_\_\_\_\_ eat any more.  
— Never mind. Let's take it home.  
A. can't                      B. mustn't                      C. needn't                      D. shouldn't
- Simon looks worried because he \_\_\_\_\_ a writing competition and now he's waiting for the result.  
A. enters                      B. entered                      C. will enter                      D. is entering
- Opposite my house is \_\_\_\_\_. My ten-year-old son often goes there with his classmates on Saturday.  
A. a museum that is open on weekdays  
B. a swimming pool that is designed for adults  
C. a cinema which sells tickets at a lower price  
D. a library which will be completed in two years
- Mum, I'm going to school now. See you.  
\_\_\_\_\_, Mary.  
A. Here we go                      B. Wait a moment                      C. My pleasure                      D. Have a nice day

### 二、完形填空(本题有 15 小题,每小题 1 分,共 15 分)

阅读下面短文,掌握大意,然后从每题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。



Johnnie Martin was born in a worker's family. His parents lived a simple life, saving money for the day when they could send him to a good university. They had dreamed that their son could get a good 11 and live a better life. However, to Johnnie, school lessons seemed like a wall that was impossible to go through.

One day when he was in Grade 11, Johnnie went 12 the school psychologist's\* office to ask for help.

"Johnnie, I've been studying your marks of all the tests at school. I've made a 13 study of them," said the psychologist.

"I've been trying hard," Johnnie was about to 14

The psychologist put his hand on the boy's shoulder, "People have different kinds of talents, Johnnie. There are painters who were 15 able to learn maths, and engineers who can't sing on key. Some day you will find 16 you are good at, and when you do, you will make your parents and all of us very 17 you."

Johnnie didn't go to university. He found a job working in the gardens around the town. Soon 18 amazing happened. His customers began to notice that Johnnie had what they called a "green thumb". The plants he 19 grew, and the roses blossomed\*. People started to accept his 20 for gardening, because he had an eye for colour and light.

One day while he was downtown, he happened to 21 an unused dirty land behind the city hall. He volunteered to make it into a garden. That very afternoon as soon as he got the permission\*, he started the work, 22 he couldn't afford all the tools or the plants that were 23 for it. People gave him young trees, rose-bushes, benches and many other things. Before long, it had become a beautiful little 24.

Today Johnnie is the head of the business in gardening. Wherever he and his men go, they 25 beauty before the eyes of people.

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|--------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 11. A. job         | B. garden      | C. lesson       | D. present      |
| 12. A. into        | B. past        | C. along        | D. through      |
| 13. A. funny       | B. public      | C. careful      | D. similar      |
| 14. A. lie         | B. cry         | C. laugh        | D. agree        |
| 15. A. always      | B. usually     | C. sometimes    | D. never        |
| 16. A. how         | B. when        | C. what         | D. where        |
| 17. A. strict with | B. proud of    | C. angry with   | D. sure of      |
| 18. A. nothing     | B. anything    | C. something    | D. everything   |
| 19. A. picked up   | B. pointed at  | C. talked about | D. looked after |
| 20. A. suggestions | B. invitations | C. situation    | D. attention    |
| 21. A. buy         | B. rent        | C. clean        | D. notice       |
| 22. A. but         | B. and         | C. so           | D. or           |
| 23. A. common      | B. natural     | C. possible     | D. necessary    |
| 24. A. farm        | B. lake        | C. park         | D. market       |
| 25. A. find        | B. spread      | C. collect      | D. describe     |

三、阅读理解(本题有 15 小题。第 26—39 小题为客观题,其中第 26—28 小题,每小题 1 分;第 29—39 小题,每小题 2 分;第 40 小题为主观题,5 分。共 30 分)

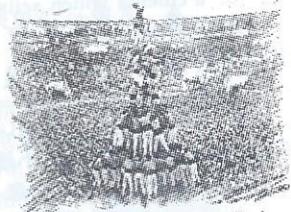
阅读下面短文:客观题请从每小题所给的 A、B、C、D 四个选项中选出最佳选项。

A

For centuries, people around the world have invented many sports. It's no surprise that more and more unusual sports have appeared.

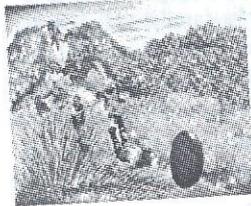
#### Human Towers

Every two years, there is a strange but fun competition — Human Towers in Spain. The first prize goes to the highest tower. In 2015, a group of players from China and Spain set a world record: a nine-person-high human tower. In this exciting event, any visitor can hold out his arms with the local people and cheer together.



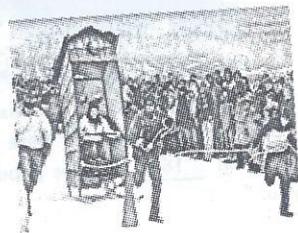
#### Cheese Rolling Championships\*

Cheese Rolling Championships take place in May every year in Britain. It is a traditional sport with the strongest smell in the world. Hundreds of people watch it on Coopers Hill. In the game, a cheese wheel of 3.5 kg runs quickly down the hill. All the players run after it, trying to catch it without falling. However, most fail and get pains all over.



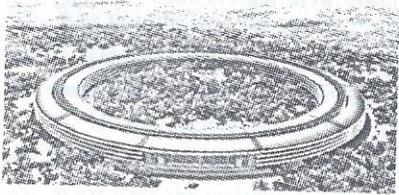
#### Outhouse\* Racing

Outhouse Racing has its own World Championship. It is on October 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Virginia, America. Every team tries to push or pull their homemade outhouse along the street to be the first. You can see all kinds of unusual outhouses in the street. Each must have four sides, a toilet seat and toilet paper.



26. According to the passage, the sport with the strongest smell takes place in \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. China      B. Spain      C. Britain      D. America
27. Every outhouse in the racing must have \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. cheese      B. a prize      C. a surprise      D. a toilet seat
28. John is good at climbing, but he can't run fast. He will take part in \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. Human Towers      B. Outhouse Racing  
 C. Racing World Championship      D. Cheese Rolling Championships

**B**



When Sunday is over, the boring office may be the last place you think of, but the Apple Park in Cupertino, California may give you a different feeling.

Apple Park is like a huge landed UFO, which covers an area of 708,000 square metres. The round four-storey main building has hundreds of rooms. It covers an area of up to 260,000 square metres. The outer walls are made up of huge pieces of glass. Many

of them can be opened like the windows in your home, and the whole building can "breathe" like a human being. With this special ventilated\* system, it only needs to use air conditioners for three months of the year. There are 75,000 square metres of solar arrays\* on the roofs of the building. They provide electricity for the whole Park. The Apple Park building is a bright, comfortable and convenient place for all the 12,000 Apple people to work inside.

Apple Park is not only a fantastic working place. There is a huge dining hall for all the Apple people to have meals together at once. There is a four-storey café, a sports center and a 1,000-seat theatre to offer relaxing services. There are 2,000 bicycle parking spaces, so people can ride their bikes to work. The company also provides 1,000 bikes for Apple people to get around all over Apple Park. In the middle of the round building is a huge park. Over 9,000 trees including many fruit trees are planted to make it a mini forest. It's an ideal place to make Apple people feel better and more energetic.

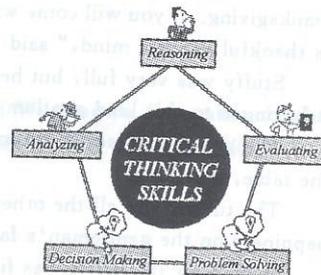
Apple Park is a gift for all the Apple people.

29. The main building of Apple Park is \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. 12,000 square metres      B. 75,000 square metres  
 C. 260,000 square metres      D. 708,000 square metres
30. Apple Park gets electricity from its \_\_\_\_\_.  
 A. outer walls      B. solar arrays      C. rooms      D. trees
31. Why does Apple Park offer many services?  
 A. To keep Apple people busy.  
 B. To invite tourists to have fun there.  
 C. To make itself a better gift to Apple people.  
 D. To build itself a better place to enjoy nature.
32. Which of the following is **TRUE**?  
 A. There are over 9,000 fruit trees in the Park.  
 B. Apple people can do exercise in Apple Park.  
 C. Apple Park can "breathe" for three months of the year.  
 D. The outer walls of the main building are made of wood.

**C**

Critical thinking is the ability to think clearly and rationally about what to believe or what to do. According to a report on the World Economic Forum (2016), critical thinking, creativity, and their practical application\* are widely accepted as the top three skills that young people need to possess\* in their future career.

A good critical thinker usually takes the following steps before he decides what to do. Whenever he needs to do something, he would, first of all, reason. He checks why he needs to do it and whether he really needs to do it. Then, analyze. He tries



to find out what it really is and the best way to do it. After that, evaluate. He makes sure whether he is able to do it and how to do it well. Finally, he makes the decision and takes action. Take the "Double 11" (a popular online shopping day in China) as an example. A few days before it, he checks carefully what he needs and whether he really needs them, and makes a shopping list. He goes to the online shops to compare the quality and the prices of the things that he is going to buy. He compares the shops that sell these things. Then he checks whether he can afford them and in which shops he is going to buy them. Although it takes him some time to make the decisions, he would not regret after the shopping.

Then what would happen if he didn't think critically before he made the decisions? After the crazy "Double 11", there were usually a lot of complaints on the Internet. There were regrets about buying more things than they needed. There were complaints about the poor quality and the prices of the things they bought. There were also complaints because they received wrong things or simply received nothing. There were all kinds of regrets and complaints. Why so? They had not thought critically before they made the decisions.

Critical thinking helps you make wiser decisions. It helps you avoid wasting time, money and so on. Therefore, do look before you leap.

33. According to the passage, critical thinking is a thinking skill that \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. helps make better choices                      B. will appear in the future  
C. helps make quick decisions                    D. makes us spend more money
34. In Paragraph 2, how does the critical thinker analyze the things he may buy?
- A. He checks what he needs to buy.              B. He studies the quality and the prices.  
C. He makes a proper shopping list.            D. He checks how much money he has.
35. The underlined word "complaint" means that the people \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. are not satisfied                                  B. are not confident  
C. are not interested                                D. are not responsible
36. Which of the following examples is the use of "critical thinking"?
- A. Daming did a new science experiment before reading instructions.  
B. Lingling's parents became very angry when they knew her bad marks.  
C. After looking at the other team's weak points, the coach made a new plan.  
D. After hearing the stranger's words, the girl followed him into a supermarket.

**D**

Stuffy Pete sat down on a bench in the New York City Park. It was the third bench to the left as you enter the park from the east.

Every Thanksgiving Day for nine years, an Old Gentleman had come to find Stuffy there at one in the afternoon. He led Stuffy to a restaurant and watched him eat a big dinner. He was trying to make it a tradition.

Stuffy had just come from a dinner so big that he had almost no power to move. How he expected that gentleman would not come this year! Then his eyes grew wider and his breath stopped.

The Old Gentleman was thin and tall, dressed all in black. He wore eye-glasses. His hair was whiter and thinner than it was last year. His legs did not seem as strong as they had seemed the year before, but he moved, straight and proud, to Stuffy and toward the tradition that he was building.

"I am glad to see everything's fine with you. For that blessing you and I can give thanks on this day of thanksgiving. If you will come with me, my man, I will give you a dinner that will surely make your body feel as thankful as your mind," said the gentleman. The words themselves were almost a tradition.

Stuffy was very full, but he understood that his desire\* for food on Thanksgiving Day was not his own. It belonged to this kind gentleman.

The gentleman led Stuffy to the restaurant and to the same table where they had always gone. He sat at the table, watching.

The turkey and all the other food were gone almost as quickly as they appeared. Stuffy saw the look of happiness on the gentleman's face. He continued to eat to keep it there.

In an hour the battle was finished.

"Thank you for my Thanksgiving dinner," Stuffy stood up heavily.

They said goodbye, as they did each year, at the door.

Stuffy went around the first corner, stood for one minute, and fell. He was picked up and taken to a hospital.

An hour later the Old Gentleman was brought to the same hospital.

"That nice old gentleman over there," a doctor was talking to another. "Do you know what's wrong with him? He's almost dead for the need of food. A very proud old man, I think. He told me he hadn't eaten anything for three days."

37. How many Thanksgiving dinners had the Old Gentleman invited Stuffy to have?  
A. One.                      B. Two.                      C. Nine.                      D. Ten.
38. Why did Stuffy's eyes grow wider and his breath stop when he saw the Old Gentleman coming?  
A. He felt awful because he was too full.  
B. He was afraid to have another big dinner.  
C. He felt excited to see the gentleman was fine.  
D. He was surprised to meet the gentleman there.
39. What does the underlined word "it" in the story refer to?  
A. The gentleman's need of food.                      B. Stuffy's effort to finish all the food.  
C. Stuffy's thanks to the gentleman.                      D. The happiness on the gentleman's face.
40. Why did the Old Gentleman still offer Stuffy the big dinner after he had been hungry for three days?

四、词汇运用(本题有 15 小题,每小题 1 分,共 15 分)

A. 用方框中所给单词的适当形式填空。每词限用一次。

arrive    glove    probably    small    beside

41. The more I use the eraser, the      it gets.  
42. Hurry up, Tom. Grandma      in half an hour.  
43. The boy felt really excited to sit      his favourite writer.  
44. Anna secretly put a pair of blue      under the Christmas tree.  
45. You've      heard Li Yundi will have a concert in Wenzhou, but it's not true.

B. 根据短文内容和所给中文提示,用单词的正确形式完成以下短文。

Why are some animals pets and others lunch?

In some countries, dogs and cats are commonly considered as pets, while chickens, ducks, and 46 (猪) are food. However, in some other countries dogs and cats are food, and the food animals are pets.

People 47 (分开,将……分成) animals into several kinds to their own needs. For example, you may have 48 (朋友) who keep rabbits as pets. Some people 49 (烹饪) rabbits as dishes. People treat a rabbit as a pet because it 50 (带来) them pleasure. They eat it, for they think it is a kind of meat. They kill it because they believe it is 51 (有害的) to plants or people.

People also treat animals differently based on their own cultures. Most of us have dogs as pets. Dogs live in our house, like a 52 (成员) of the family. However, in some cultures, dogs are considered unclean. People 53 (几乎不) ever keep them as pets. In some parts of Southeast Asia, dogs are on the menu. 54 (百万) of dogs are killed every year.

What's 55 (正确的) and wrong in the way we treat animals?

五、书面表达(本题有 1 小题,共 20 分)

56. 假如你是李华,就读于 Wenzhou Tanghe Middle School。你想去美国的 Washington International School (WIS)读高中。现在你需要给对方学校写一封简明扼要、有说服力的自荐信,争取让学校录取你。

参考要点:

- 个人信息
- 学习成绩
- 爱好、能力
- .....

要求:(1)不能出现真实的个人信息;

(2)词数:110词左右。开头和结尾已给出,不计入总词数。

Dear Sir/Madam,



I am looking forward to your kind reply.

Yours sincerely,

Li Hua

小词典

application *n.* 应用

breathe *v.* 呼吸

outhouse *n.* 屋外厕所

psychologist *n.* 心理学家

array *n.* (太阳能)板

championship *n.* 锦标赛

permission *n.* 许可

blossom *v.* 开花

desire *n.* 欲望

possess *v.* 拥有

## 英语参考答案

### 一、单项填空(本题有 10 小题,每小题 1 分,共 10 分)

1-5 CADBB                      6-10 DABCD

### 二、完形填空(本题有 15 小题,每小题 1 分,共 15 分)

11-15 AACBD                      16-20 CBCDA                      21-25 DADCB

### 三、阅读理解(本题有 15 小题。第 26-28 小题,每小题 1 分;第 29-39 小题,每小题 2 分;第 40 小题,5 分。共 30 分)

26-30 CDACB                      31-35 CBABA                      36-39 CDBD

阅读理解第 40 题:

参考答案:

He was a proud Old Gentleman and was always ready to help the poor though he was no longer rich. He didn't want to break his "promise" which he had kept for nine years. More importantly, he wanted to build the tradition to offer every American a chance to feel thankful.

### 四、词汇运用(本题有 15 小题,每小题 1 分,共 15 分)

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|-------------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| 41. smaller | 42. will arrive/ is arriving | 43. beside        |
| 44. gloves  | 45. probably                 | 46. pigs          |
| 47. divide  | 48. friends                  | 49. cook          |
| 50. brings  | 51. harmful                  | 52. member        |
| 53. hardly  | 54. Millions                 | 55. right/correct |

### 五、书面表达(本题有 1 小题,共 20 分)

参考例文:

56. Dear Sir / Madam,

I am Li Hua from Wenzhou Tanghe Middle School. I wish to get an opportunity to study at WIS.

Like many other boys, I enjoy doing sports, but maths and science are my favourite. I like Chinese, English and music as well. I have won several prizes in various competitions, including a second prize in an international maths competition.

I have joined in three one-month-tour-study programs in the US, learnt a lot about American culture and made many friends there. So WIS is my first choice to study abroad.

Although I am not the best now, I will make every effort to become a top student and I believe you will be proud of me.

I am looking forward to your kind reply.

Yours sincerely,

Li Hua